



UMT Spotlight

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Our Journey;

- Menik Farm (May-Sept '09)
- Jaffna & Kayts (April '10)
- Kayts (June '10)
- Vidutaltivu & Mannar (Sept '10)
- UC 1 - Colombo (Dec '10)
- UC 2 - Mullaitivu (Jun '11)
- Ray of Hope - Colombo (Oct '11)
- UC 3 - Mannar (Dec '11)
- UC 4 - Tharanikkulam (Jun '12)
- Zoom In 1 (Sept '12)
- UC 5 - Kandy (Oct '12)
- Zoom In 2 - Colombo (Dec '12)
- Zoom In 3 - Mullaitivu (April '13)
- Zoom In 4 - Kilinochchi (April '13)

Unity Mission Trust

"We believe that the future of Sri Lanka lies in the hands of our Youth. That is why we are committed to fostering Unity, Reconciliation, Healing and Integration amongst them"

~ Team Unity Mission

Zoom-In 3 & 4

This avurudu season, the Unity Mission Trust team visited the North bearing gifts of love for 500 outstanding youth from Kilinochchi and Mullaitivu. Two very special Zoom-In programs were held, one at the Mulliyaweli Vidyananda College and the other at the Kilinochchi Maha Vidyalayam. They were leadership refresher & reunion programs for a group of hand-picked youth, who in their own respective areas were considered outstanding. UMT hosted 250 youth at each program, which focused on self - development and leadership, through interact lectures, mind development games and activities. The youth in both places were also introduced to the ways in which the Sinhala and



Relaxing the fun way!

Tamil New year is celebrated. Both events were more colorful and filled with a sense of celebration as everyone was dressed in traditional & colourful new year attire! Both events kicked off at 9.30 am with registrations.

The programs began with the traditional singing of the National Anthem and lighting of the oil lamp. The Unity Mission Trust Anthem was sung next. All sessions were energetically enlivened by the UMT team of MC's - Arthiga Ramasamy, Kshyahla Pinto- Jayawardena, Dushy Stanislaus and Sasha Pinto- Jayawardena. Some of the youth who attended the programs this time, had never experienced a UMT program before & thoroughly enjoyed themselves... Contd on pg2



Ayubowan! Vanakkam! The UMT welcome team



Team building in action



Lakmali Nanayakkara
Trustee of UMT

It is with profound sadness that this note of appreciation is being placed on record. The Unity Mission Trust treasured Lakmali, who was one of our original Trustees. She was one of the brightest and the best of shining stars that lit up our beautiful Motherland. Her untimely demise sent shock waves through the extensive network of friends and associates that she had developed. Her passing is a huge loss for the Unity Mission Trust to which she was so committed. Her wise counsel,

suggestions and ideas will be missed. She was one of the Trustees who attended our Unity Camps with her beloved daughter Keshini. She has taken part in a Media interview to represent the Trust; she has attended every single Board meeting of the Trust ---- and has sat and enjoyed egg-hoppers and lunu miris at Shyamala School of Art, the HQ of UMT, on more than one occasion, the last time being in April 2013. She informed me that she

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Zoom In 3 & 4

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The program was enhanced with the motivating lectures that Mr. Bertal Pinto Jayawardena gave, that focused on self- development, and motivation. A number of motivational videos were shown to the youth who looked on intently as these were images they have never seen before. In both venues Mr. Bertal Pinto Jayawardena also introduced the UMT initiative to begin English language classes for the youth in both areas. Following this was a session of relaxation therapy, drama and dance led by



Leadership Programme in session



Aunty Shyamala & Kumanga akki in action on stage

the Co-Founder Trustee, Mrs. Shyamala Pinto- Jayawardena, supported by Kumanga Andrahennadi. In Mullaitivu the audi-



Special "Aadivaasi" dance—Mullaitivu

ence was treated to two very special performances, a dance act and an instrumental performance by the UMT sponsored Orchestra.

At both instances, former UMT campers and group leaders were invited to speak a few words. These speakers were Priyathanushan Balasingham, Miss. Yasodha Selvarajah and Vinoth Manimaran, who reside in Vattap-

palai, Vishwamadu and Mullaativu. These leaders have been with UMT since Unity Camp 1 in 2010, and spoke from their hearts, to fellow students, emphasizing on the importance of humanity above all other factors, including ethnicity and religion.

The participants were given the chance to take part not only in leadership building and self-building games but were also given the opportunity to be a part of a couple of avurudu games that the team had organized. It was a wonderful sight to see, the togetherness and joy that the participants shared, even though they had only known each other for a few hours! The teams cheered as the first, second and third placed groups were given gifts. Following the presentation of gifts for the winners was a fun filled musical session led by Mr. Rukshan Perera, and former campers Dinushkanth, Firnaz & Vishwa. The Zoom-In participants were given the chance to sing along and dance to some very popular Tamil and Sinhala songs, and no doubt you could see the enjoyment in their eyes. Just before the program ended, Mrs. Shyamala Pinto Jayawardena, introduced the participants to the Avurudu food that is traditionally eaten by the Sinhalese people during avurudu & Arthiga

Ramasamy explained the back-

ground to the Northern traditional food available. Each person was given a bag of 'kavili' to take home with them.



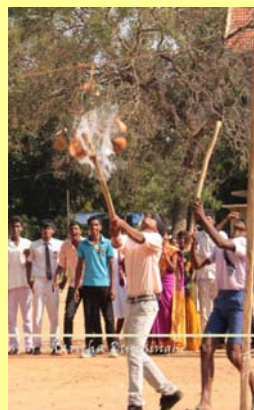
Arthiga Ramasamy
Senior Tamil compere

No one really wanted to go home, but when the time came, good-byes were said with hopes of meeting again, and gifts of love were given to each participant. These were special gifts that were very specially taken from Colombo.



Kshyahla Pinto Jayawardena
sharing in programme leadership

Each gift was sponsored by a very special person in Colombo, who contributed 1000 Rs/= for each gift. This program would not have been possible if not for the wonderful effort put in by the entire UMT team, who worked tirelessly to ensure that the purpose of the programs was successfully achieved.



Avurudu games in full swing!

A special mention must also be made of a number of individuals, without whom the execution of this program would have been but a dream.

The Honorable Governor of

Northern Province, Major General (retired) G. A. Chandrasiri and Mr. Ilaangovan, Secretary to

Northern Governor, who has consistently encouraged, guided and motivated



"Banis Kaama" in full swing

Zoom In contd...

our work. We greatly appreciated the fact that Mr Sathiyaseelan, Education Secretary of Northern Province was able to take time off to enjoy the program with us by being on the ground to share in the joy. A special thank-you is also extended to Mr Murugavel and Mr Rajkumar, the Zonal Education Directors of Killinochchi and Mullaitivu, who not only assisted us with ground arrangements, but also took time off to be with us during the actual program. Ms. Lavanya Suganthan and Mr Kandeepan, Deputy Directors of Education for their co-ordination efforts. The two principals of the two host schools Mr Sivalingam and Mr Pan-gachelvam who went out of their way to make sure that the UMT team had everything necessary to organize a successful event. Mr Utha-



The smiles say it all!!!



A salute to Mother Lanka

yasangar, the former Deputy Director of Education and currently, Senior Consultant to UMT, who is our own UMT member on the ground in Mullaitivu worked tirelessly for our success. The



250 youth—dancing in unison



Tuning in at the commencement of the Zoom In programme

collective effort of the Sri Lanka Army to support our cause are very sincerely appreciated. A special mention must be made of Major General Leonard Mark the Security Forces Commander of Mullaitivu for his consistent support given to UMT, Colonel Asitha Ranasinghe, Civil Affairs Co-Coordinator of Mullaitivu, Major General Udaya Perera, SF Commander of Killinochchi for the fantastic support arrangements made for our first ever project at Killinochchi. We must also thank Colonel Chandana Dharmasena, Civil Affairs Co-ordinator of Killinochchi, Lt Col Ajith Wickremasekera, Lt Col Ravi Markavita, Lt Col Luckruwan Pathirana and Major Ranjith Meegastenna all of the SF HQ at Kilinochchi, who together with their staff helped us with facilities that made so many teenagers happy and able to inte-

grate with us. And finally we must also say thank-you to Mrs. Shanthi Gajendran, Mrs. Chrishanthi Goonewardena, Mr Srinath Fonseka, Mr Dumin-dra Ratnayake, Mr Bandula Ego-dage, Mr Aruna Jayewickrema,



Vibrant colours at registrations

Mr. Thiruguanam & Mr Shewantha Rodrigo in particular for their consistent encouragement and support given in many ways to make our on-going work successful. The enduring memory

will be that of those young teenagers from Mullaitivu and Killinochchi, standing up in open forum to say 'thank you' for new concepts and leadership ideas as well as thanking the Organization for giving them a day of much enjoyment

and happiness!

~ Bhagya Wickramage & Nilupuli Andrahennadi



Sanjitha & Yasodha—UMT leaders of Kilinochchi in action



*Team building & Leadership activity
A key moment!*



Team UMT—at the end of Zoom In 3 Mullaitivu

Achievements & Milestones

"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."

-Sir Winston Churchill

Unity Mission Team has always thrived in reaching out to teenagers & young leaders to provide leadership training, personal capacity enhancement and foster growth of self-confidence in order to facilitate National Unity, Reconciliation and Integration between children of all areas of Sri Lanka. We work to build up their personalities and encourage them to become successful citizens of great skills and value. With much pleasure, we proudly announce and congratulate these young achievers amongst the UMT network of 3000+ students, for the milestones reached in their lives.

Leadership is one of the most important skills that a person needs. The Unity Mission Team takes pride in congratulating the following members of our student network;



Manimaran Vinoth- Appointed as the Head Prefect of Mullaitivu Maha Vidyalayam.

Shehani Rajendra - Former Head Prefect of Holy Family Convent - Bambalapitiya, was the winner of the National public speaking contest of the English Speaking Union, Sri Lanka chapter. She will accordingly represent Sri Lanka at the International public speaking contest to be held in May 2013. She was also the winner of the Trinity College of London Oratory prize winner at the recent Sri Lanka Branch prize giving. Prior to all of that Shehani was the English Oratory Winner at Unity Camp 4, at Tharanikkulam in July 2012.



Shani Samuel- A Student of Ladies College Colombo who has been appointed as a School Prefect.

Academic success is important because it is strongly linked to the positive outcomes we value for our network of young leaders. These members who are part of the Unity Mission Team have performed extraordinarily well in their studies.

Sanjitha Arunselvan - A versatile student from Masar, Kilinochchi who achieved very good results in her G.C.E Ordinary levels Examinations in 2012.



Yasodha Selvaraja- She is a student from Vishwamadu who achieved excellent results in G.C.E Advanced Level Examinations. She is a former School Prefect of Vishwamadu Maha Vidyalayam.

Sajini Fernando - A School Prefect from Methodist College Colombo. With a lot of hard work and dedication she achieved outstanding results at her G.C.E A/L 2012 in the Languages stream and she was ranked 2nd in the Island.



Jithendri Gomes- A former School Prefect of Methodist College Colombo and a core team member of UMT who recorded excellent results at G.C.E A/L 2012.

The Unity Mission Team congratulates these students for their excellent achievements in their school career and wish them all the very best for their future endeavours. Last but not least we convey our best wishes to our young leaders who are moving forward to pursue their careers & vocations.



Ishara Dhayanandha- A former School Prefect from Ferguson Girls' School, Ratnapura and is also a Sri Lankan Junior Athlete who has gained admission to the University of Sri Jayawardenepura.

Gunarajah Prunthapan- A student of Jaffna Hindu College who produced excellent A/L results and entered the University of Moratuwa.



Hiruni Weerasekara- She is also a Sri Lankan Junior Athlete and was a former group leader at Unity Camp 3 who has been accepted into the Sri Lanka Army as a Officer Cadet.

We wish them all the very best in their chosen careers. We hope with all our heart that they will reach the very top in their professions and may our Nation benefit immensely from the services which they would render to our Motherland in the future.

~ Firnaz Najimudeen

From A UMT Mullaitivu Youth Leader

UMT is breaking the language barrier and working towards bringing Sri Lanka together. In ancient times when a child was born, the mother would give the child a sword and prepare the child for war, but now UMT is changing that by giving pens to the child's hand, in efforts to make them better citizens and better students of the country.

Priyathanushan Balasingham
Past Pupil: Vidyananda Maha Vidyalayam



Send in your achievements attached with your photograph to us!

UMT English Classes

UMT has identified the need to support students in the Wanni by conducting English classes, as another initiative of the Trust. There are multiple objectives—primarily to enable outstanding students who will be selected for these programmes to be able to have better access to study material; it is also considered almost as a 'passport' to a new and brighter future! In addition, it will be a link language to foster unity & integration.

Classes will be conducted for 30 handpicked students at Mullaitivu, Puthukudiyaippu, Kilinochchi town & Paranthan for an intensive 6 month period. Planning session with English teachers from the Wanni was successfully completed earlier this month in preparation of formal of the programme at the end of May.

Those completing a series of tests and high skills will be awarded certificates and prizes. This is planned as a continuing project where the course will be repeated for new batches.

You too can partner by sponsoring the programme!

~Natasha Fernando

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resigned from her very prestigious position at EY's, because she wanted more time to be able to do the type of work she was doing at UMT! She told me on multiple occasions that she wanted her Keshi to be involved with UMT, because as she said it, this was what Sri Lanka needed. We will not forget her. We will honour her through our continued work and we will remember what she stood for by amongst others offering a Trophy in her name for Unity, at our Unity Camps. We will expand our scholarship scheme in her memory. She was truly someone special... May the lights of unity continue to shine in her name.

Bertal Pinto Jayawardena

Founder/Coordinating Trustee of UMT

UMT Orchestra

The friendships made at UMT's Unity Camps are for life, and it is wonderful to know that the new friends you make can count on you for help, at anytime. Mrs. Shanthi Kamalakanthan, a teacher of Mullaitivu Maha Vidyalayam who was part of the original Unity Camp 1 contingent, was one such friend who requested the help of UMT to purchase musical instruments to build up and train a Tamil Cultural Orchestra. Mrs. Kamalakanthan, who is an experienced & qualified music teacher, trains the orchestra of young, talented students in the Mullaitivu district. UMT responded to her request by helping her to purchase musical instruments for her new initiative.

The orchestra has had many performances and performed very recently at Zoom In 3, which was held in Mullaitivu, to the delight of all present in particular the UMT Management Team!

~ Natasha Fernando



Our very own UMT Orchestra in action!

UMT Scholarship Programme

Here at Unity Mission Trust, we are committed to fostering unity, reconciliation and healing amongst teenagers and young adults across Sri Lanka. This is an invitation to you, to fuel our **MISSION** to **UNITE** diverse cultures by building new bridges of **Friendship & TRUST!**

Our scholarship programme is an integral part of the reconciliation and integration work of the Unity Mission Trust. We therefore, encourage you to contribute and partner with UMT in reaching out to support the education needs of selected outstanding Unity Campers, who face multiple challenges including those that are economic in nature. Your support will further strengthen our efforts

The Scholarship Scheme is designed to empower outstanding, handpicked, post G.C.E. Ordinary Level students. This endeavour currently enables the facilitation of academic study of eight students from the North and requires a commitment of a period of two years from the donor. The scheme and mode of payment can be determined according to one's convenience as listed below. Progress on the performance of each student will be monitored and compiled into quarterly progress reports and handed over to respective donors.

Monthly	→	Rs. 4500.00
Quarterly	→	Rs. 4500 X 3 = Rs. 13,500.00
Annually	→	Rs. 4500 X 12 = Rs. 54,000.00

The payment towards this cause can be made as a standing order to the bank; as a deposit at the UMT bank account or as a transfer to the UMT account. The payment may also be made as a cheque payment to the organization.

As the saying goes, "one step for a man is a giant leap for mankind", your valued contribution towards this Scheme will make a very significant difference to the life of one young teenager of the Wanni area.

If you desire to be instrumental in investing in the future of our island by empowering one or more well-deserved students who have dreams and aspirations and are also very capable, like any other of our best students but are restricted by barriers of economic concern, please do not hesitate to contact UMT. We need your support!

~Sajini Fernando & Sapthika Jacob

In The Spotlight

My Unforgettable Experience at the UMT Camp 05 -Sincere Words of Appreciation

The life of a person has so many milestones and turning points from the day of his or her conception in his mother's womb until he ends up in the tomb. I realized the truth of this saying from a very early age and have both sad and happy memories of all that has taken place in my life. Among the many happy events in my life one day is very significant to me. It is the day my Alma Mater chose me along with a few of my co-students to take part in the Unity Mission Trust programme. None of us were aware of this programme until we participated in it.

I did not even dream in my wildest dream that I would be chosen as a leader of a group on that very day. The comradeship and unity that I experienced was so very refreshing. Mingling with students from the North, South, East and West was something that I had never had a chance to do before. The healthy relationships between boys and girls made our camp a very enjoyable place. The interesting talks, rare games, competitions, meals, shared work, even the evening baths all brought us a lot of happiness and took our minds away from academic work for a while. The friendships that were created at the camp are still alive and I know all of us are hoping to meet each other at the next camp.

On being chosen as a group leader, I was able to move with my group members irrespective of what ethnic group they belonged to. A very great plus point that we all had at the camp was where each member had to learn at least five words of the language of the other ethnic group (Sinhalese/ Tamil). Having an ability to speak all three national languages made me also a translator at this camp. Being the youngest member in my family, I'm a bit molly cuddled at home and I was a bit nervous to be out of home for a long period but, at the end of the programme I felt very sentimental to part from my new pals. The experiences I had at this camp have made me a new person. My timid attitude, has reduced and now I am almost ready to part take in the next step.

As a participant at the UMT Camp-05 I say a sincere word or words of appreciation to Mr. Bertal (Uncle Bertal) who is responsible for the methodical, caring, thoughtful and many more words which are insufficient to describe Uncle Bertal.

Yes! This camp taught me and my pals a lot. Apart from book learning it's such events that teach us many values that are important to one's life.



May God bless all the organizers of the camp and may it go from strength to strength. This is my loving, faithful, and sincere wish to the UNTY MISSION TRUST.

Taniya Babu Lakshmanan.
UMT-Camp 05, Group Leader.
School Head Prefect- 2010.
Good Shepherd Convent Kandy.

My experience with UMT.

(Translated from the original Sinhala letter)

Taking part in Unity Camp four was an unforgettable experience. It was my first time being involved with Unity Mission Trust , and I must say that I enjoyed it thoroughly. From the various games and competitions we took part in, to all the lessons we learnt during sessions, to lessons we learnt by just being there and interacting with people from a place that we had been kept away from for so long, the whole Unity Camp experience added immensely valuable experiences to my life. At the beginning we were not feeling very comfortable because everything was new and unfamiliar, and there were instances that I felt alone and abandoned. However, these feelings were not to last long. As the days went, by I made new friends and I learnt new things. As a group leader, I faced many challenges but the main one was the language barrier, it was difficult to communicate but it did not stop me from trying. I must mention that this never became an issue for our friendships, and there was always a person to help me out whenever I could not manage, even though sometimes it had to be with a difficultly contained smile. Im thankful to all who contributed to my experience with Unity Mission Trust, my Principle at Holy Family Convent , Marawila, the Unity Mission Trust team and my friends at the camp without whom this experience would not have been as special as it was. It has been almost an year since I attended the camp at Tharanikkulam, and yet those friends are still in touch and those pictures so fresh in my memory like it was yesterday, and still it manages to bring a smile unto my face.

Your objective of having this camp has not gone unachieved, it has shown us, the younger generation that race and religion do not matter it has given us new hope that the future of this country, the youth can and will not fall to the depths that the generation before us fell into. We must work together to build our nation. Personally, attending camp has confirmed one of my inner most thoughts. I am now determined to complete my A/L's to the best of my ability because I want to attend either the Jaffna University or the Eastern University to complete my Higher studies.

My prayer and wish is that this effort that UMT is putting into guiding the youth of Sri Lanka towards a brighter tomorrow in which they will become exemplary leaders of a peaceful nation, will grow from strength to strength.

Ann Roche
Former Head Prefect
Holy Family Convent, Marawila

WE ARE ALL THE CHILDREN OF ONE MOTHER

(Translated from the original Tamil letter)

I am really grateful to everyone who gave me the opportunity to participate in this Training program. This Training program was really useful for me, as I understood my personality and skills and it helped us to overcome our inabilities. Through this program I could be able to make new friendships and contacts and it was a great joy for me. Music and Dance Programs were very interesting. I was excited that different new programs conducted in a new environment.

I observed that all involved in the programs regardless of different cultures and languages. We look forward more programs like this in the future in our villages too as it would be really helpful for children like us. Finally I want to wish everyone who helped me to attend this Programme.

Thank You

Vijayaratnam Kala
Siriliya Sevana Home
Vyrvapuliyankulam, Vavuniya.



*Send in your contributions attached with
 your
 photograph to us!*

Unity is power of strength.
 Unity is power of love.
 I'll give justice to those people who suffer
 I'll give peace for those who need peace
 I'll help to improve our motherland, Sri Lanka

Unity! Unity is what we need
 Not help but lend
 Lend my life others in need

Love... Love is what we need
 Forget about the fight.
 Throw your guns, throw your knives!
 Give your love.

Give love and you will achieve your righteousness in life.
 Ekamuthu.



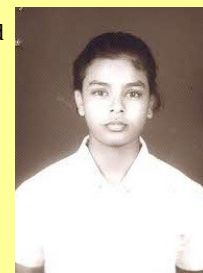
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Past Pupil: Jaffna Hindu College
Current Pupil: Engineering Faculty,
Moratuwa University

Dear Friend,
 I waited, my heart filled with anticipation, for a letter, a message from you
 For it gave me the chance to relive those fond memories
 Memories rekindled with the words you had written
 Words of a changed person, as I my heart had expected

Remember my friend,
 Remember the first day we met
 In the midst of a thousand, lost and lonely
 Our words muddled, uncertain afraid, and yet
 We tried, did we not?
 To understand each other
 We tried, do you remember?

It was dirty our piece of paper, torn, scribbled on
 A silent testimony to our struggle, our attempts
 To the many times we tried to blend your words with the music in my head
 Until it dawned on us,
 The moment came, when my heart beat blended with yours and music was created
 Music, we sang, music we enjoyed on those wonderful days that we spent together.

Till we meet again my friend, my thoughts ill keep safely in my head,
 So much to share, so much to say
 But I'll keep those thoughts in my head
 With the hope in my heart and a prayer in my soul
 That soon we will meet, we will meet again.
 Till then,
 Your friend



W. A Ann Keshali,
Holy Family Convent, Kalutara

MY EXPERIENCE AT ZOOM IN 3 AND 4

(Translated from the original Tamil letter)

Through Zoom in 3 & 4 I learned that we all must work together as children of Mother Lanka to build our Nation. This program helped us to understand each other's culture. I learnt a lot about Sinhala culture through Auntie Shyamala

Zoom in 3 & 4 helped us to develop our personality and leadership skills. Through the Video clips showed at this program I got to know, how I must work hard with perseverance to achieve success in my life. Through this program I am motivated to build my Nation irrespective of cultural and social barriers.

A.Kumuthini
Alambil RCTMV
Mullaitivu.



Join us. Partner with UMT!

The Unity Mission Trust truly appreciates the collaboration and encouragement of caring and supportive individuals and 'far thinking' Corporate Houses. Interested in forming a strategic partnership with UMT to strengthen Sri Lanka's future? We invite you to consider the following and communicate to us your corporate preference.



(✓)

- ⇒ [] Sponsor a one day Zoom-In programme at Rs. 125,000/=
- ⇒ [] Sponsor ONE working group of 25 students (20 groups) who will attend Unity Camp 6 (Rs. 4750/= per student) at Rs. 118,750/=
- ⇒ [] Sponsor a fundraising event to be held in Colombo at Rs. 125,000/=
- ⇒ [] Sponsor the quarterly UMT newsletter at Rs. 35,000/= per issue
- ⇒ [] Provide materials or refreshments for use at programme
- ⇒ [] Sponsor Education of 1 student in Wanni at Rs. 4500/= per month

Contact details for UMT set out hereunder!

Upcoming Events

- The most awaited event in the Unity Mission Trust calendar is coming up! **Unity camp 6!** This is the annual camp in which more than 500 students from the North and the South meet in one location and spend 4 days interacting with each other! This year it will be held in Kilinochchi from the 16th-20th of October. It is during this camp that students are trained to be leaders in their own areas to initiate the process of uniting, healing and integrating. This camp lays the foundation for the many friendships that are built across the nation that last a lifetime. Up to date UMT has more than 3000 students that have been beneficiaries of this camp! At UC-6 UMT is planning on hosting more than 500 students who will then join our vibrant network and will foster unity, integration and healing!
- UMT will launch **English language classes** at Mullaitivu, Puthukuduiruppu and Kilinochchi from May 2013. 30 students will be trained at Mullaitivu, Puthukuduiruppu, Kilinochchi town & Paranthan .
- UMT plans to have a **Fund raiser sing-a-long** on the 21st of July, led by our music maestro and director Rukshan Perera. Do keep the date free!
- UMT will have a **special event** during the month of September. This event will be exclusively for you who are our sponsors, donors and those who have supported us in diverse ways. This colorful event will also include the release of UMT's audited financial statements and the release of UMT's Annual Report/ Profile. In addition it will feature, outstanding cultural performances from talented youth of UMT from across Sri Lanka.
- UMT plans to conduct **Zoom-In 5**, the one-day leadership programme in the Central Province during the month of December to bring together all former unity campers from Kandy, Matale, Katugasthota, Bandarawela, Guruthalawe, Monaragala, Thanamalvila etc.
- Await next vibrant issue of **UMT Spotlight** in July/August!!!

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